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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

In response to the restriction requirement dated September 18, 2009, Applicant elects for prosecution the invention of Group I, i.e., claims 1-30 drawn to a method of delivering a (biocidal composition to a (lignocellulosic) substrate, classified in class 427, subclass 317.

Applicant requests that the invention of Group II, i.e. claim 31, drawn to a substrate, classified in class 428, subclass 292.4, be rejoined and also be considered on its merits upon allowance of the elected claims, as now pending and subsequently amended.

No fee is believed to be due. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 50-4189, referencing Attorney Docket No. 65501-002US1.

Respectfully submitted.

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